



# THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

## ATTESTATION OF

No. 5426 Name Philip Hicks Corps Medt.

### Questions to be put to the Recruit before Enlistment.

- |  |                                      |
|--|--------------------------------------|
| 1. What is your name? .....  | 1. <u>Philip Hicks</u>               |
| 2. What is your full Address? .....  | 2. <u>Wants for</u>                  |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....  | 3. <u>yes</u>                        |
| 4. What is your age? .....   | 4. <u>18</u> Years <u>0</u> Months   |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....  | 5. <u>fisherman</u>                  |
| 6. Are you Married? .....  | 6. <u>no</u>                         |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? .....                             | 7. <u>no</u>                         |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? .....  | 8. <u>Yes</u>                        |
| 9. Are you willing to be enlisted for General Service? .....   | 9. <u>Yes</u>                        |
| 10. Did you receive a Notice, and do you understand its meaning, and who gave it to you? .....                                     | 10. Name .....<br>Corps <u>Medt.</u> |
| 11. Are you willing to serve upon the conditions as embodied in the roll of service to be signed by you if you are accepted? ..... | 11. <u>Yes</u>                       |

I, Philip S. Hicks do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true, and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

Philip Seymour Hicks  
Pl. R. W. SIGNATURE OF RECRUIT.  
Signature of Witness.

### OATH TO BE TAKEN BY RECRUIT ON ATTESTATION.

I, Philip S. Hicks do make oath, that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King George the Fifth, His Heirs and Successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully defend His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, in Person, Crown and Dignity against all enemies, according to the conditions of my service.

### CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The Recruit above named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answer to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Army Act.

The above questions were then read to the Recruit in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at St. John's on this 24 day of May 1915.

Signature of Attesting Officer Chas. Dickson

### †CERTIFICATE OF APPROVING OFFICER.

I certify that this Attestation of the above-named Recruit is correct, and properly filled up, and that the required forms appear to have been complied with. I accordingly approve, and appoint him to the.....

If enlisted by special authority, such will be attached to the original attestation.

Date.....1915 } Approving Officer.  
Place.....

† The signature of the Approving Officer is to be affixed in the presence of the Recruit.

‡ Here insert the "Corps" for which the Recruit has been enlisted.

\* If so, Recruit is to be asked the particulars of his former service, and to produce, if possible, his Certificate of Discharge and Certificate of Character, which should be returned to him conspicuously endorsed in red ink, as follows, viz:—(Name).....re-enlisted in the (Regiment).....on the (Date).....

# DESCRIPTIVE REPORT ON ENLISTMENT

Applicable to all ranks. To correspond with entries on the Medical History Sheet.

Name Philip S. Hicks

Apparent age 18 years 5 months. Height 5 feet 7 inches

Chest Measurement { Girth when fully expanded 36 inches  
 Range of expansion 4 inches

Distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

## INFORMATION SUPPLIED BY RECRUIT

Name and Address of next of kin Merriots Mrs. Swillingate Dist | Relationship Father

*Hicks*  
~~Merriots~~

Particulars as to Marriage

(a) Christian and Surname of Woman to whom married, and whether spinster or widow. (b) Place and date of marriage.  
 (c) Present address. (d) Initials of Officer verifying entry.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)

## Particulars as to Children

Christian Names	Date and Place of Birth

## STATEMENT OF THE SERVICES

Corps in which served	Rgt. or Depot	Promotion, Reductions, Casualties, &c.	Army Rank	Dates	Service not allowed to reckon for fixing the rate of pension		Service in Reserve not allowed to reckon towards G. C. Pay		Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
					Years	Days	Years	Days	
Service towards limited engagement reckons from _____									Signature of Officers certifying correctness of entries
Joined at _____ on _____									
Total Service forfeited as above.....									

Total Service towards Engagement to \_\_\_\_\_ [date of discharge] \_\_\_\_\_ years \_\_\_\_\_ days

" " Pensions " \_\_\_\_\_ [ " " ] \_\_\_\_\_ " \_\_\_\_\_



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| 2. What is your full Address? .....  | 2. <u>Marble Hill</u>              |
| 3. Are you a British Subject? .....  | 3. <u>Yes</u>                      |
| 4. What is your age? .....   | 4. <u>18</u> Years <u>6</u> Months |
| 5. What is your Trade or Calling? .....  | 5. <u>Fisherman</u>                |
| 6. Are you Married? .....  | 6. <u>No</u>                       |
| 7. Have you ever served in any Branch of His Majesty's Forces, naval or military, if so,* which? .....                             | 7. <u>No</u>                       |
| 8. Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated? .....  | 8. <u>Yes</u>                      |
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on this 24 day of May 1918  
Signature of Attesting Officer C. P. Hicks Lieut.

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Date.....191.....  
Place..... } Approving Officer.

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C.R. 5426

W. D. Rendell

Serving Books

Dear Sir:-

Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> 1919

Yours of January

2<sup>nd</sup> no re 5426 pt. Phillip Hicks

Question 1:- Grave located

Methodist cemetery Merritts, Ferrisburgh

Question 2:- Grave temporarily marked

to be permanently marked during  
the coming Spring with a  
monument bearing name, etc  
of the above.

Yours truly

Tom Hicks

C.R. 5426

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal  
Hfld. Regt. St. John's, dated June 18, 1918

*Philip*  
#5426 Pte. ~~Hicks~~ Hicks

Died at Military Hospital 18-6-18 struck off the strength  
from that date.

Jan 2nd 19

Mr. William Hicks  
Merrits Cove, N.D.B.

Dear Sir:-

The Army Council have requested that they may be furnished with particulars of the Graves of all Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers, and Men of His Majesty's Forces, raised in any part of the British Empire, who died in the Overseas Dominions during the present War. I should be glad, therefore, if you will furnish me with the following particulars concerning No.5426, Private Philip Hicks:-

- 1.....Location of Grave(for example: Methodist Cemetery, Carbonear)
- 2.....Whether the Grave has been temporarily or permanently marked; that is, what kind of Headstone, if any, has been erected.

A reply to this letter at your earliest convenience would be appreciated.

Yours faithfully,

Lieut. Col.,

Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 5426

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The  
Royal Nfld. Regt. St. John's, dated June 11, 1918.

#5426 Pte. Philip Hicks.

Appeared in Daily Orders Part 11 #92 of 27.5.18 as  
P. Seymour should read Philip/Hicks.



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CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD



Line No. 4 Sent by \_\_\_\_\_ Rec'd by \_\_\_\_\_ Check of No. \_\_\_\_\_

Place from St. John's 19

To W. F. Rendell



Wire 5426 Seymour  
Hicks condition today  
Wm. Hicks

Bred Military Hospital St. John's  
June 18<sup>th</sup> 1918  
W

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CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 13 Sent by

Rec'd by

Check

No. \_\_\_\_\_

Place from

Herringneck 17

To

W. F. RendellChief Staff Officer

Please wire Sons Condition  
 5426 Pte Seymour  
 Hicks. no change since last report.  
~~slight improvement~~

Wm. HicksMounts Pt.Herring NeckWm. HicksMounts Pt. Herring Neck



## NEWFOUNDLAND POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

CABLE CONNECTION WITH ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD

Line No. 44 Sent by J

Rec'd by \_\_\_\_\_

Check 22/Place from Herringneck 22To W. J. RendellLieut. Col. C.S.O.

Please Express my sons  
 body private Seymour  
 Hicks body to connect  
 with Clyde leaving  
 Lewisporte Monday reply  
 any expenses sent me  
 bill.  
 Wm. Hicks

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(NOT TRANSMITTED)

Signature of Sender

Address St. John's, Nfld.

Line Number	Rcd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated

June 21st 1918.

To

Mr. Wm. Hicks,

Merritts Cove, Swillingate

6 Philiz  
BODY YOUR SON NUMBER 5426 PTE. HICKS LEAVING ON  
TOMORROW'S TRAIN.

Chief Staff Officer,

for Minister of Militia.



C.R. 5426

**THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT**  
**HEADQUARTERS**

*St. John's, Newfoundland,*

June 19th., 1918. *1918*

From Officer Commanding,  
Depot.

To District Officer Commanding,  
Newfoundland.

Sir,

5426 Pte. Philip Hicks.

I am advised by Dr. Burden that above noted man died at the Military Hospital on night of the 18th., inst. of pneumonia following measles.

Pending instructions regarding disposal of body, Mr. J. C. Oke, Undertaker, has been asked to take charge of same and have it confined and embalmed.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

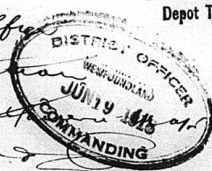
*W. H. L. H.*  
Ass't Adjutant  
Depot The Royal Newfoundland Regiment  
St. John's, Nfld.

*Casualty office*

*Do attention*

*Account*

*W. H. L. H.*



C.R. 5426  
Counter No.

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Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address Dept of Militia.

Line Number _____	Rcd _____	By _____	Sent _____	by _____	Check _____
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Dated June 17th, 1918

To William Hicks, Merritts Br., Herby Hook

In reply wire even date No. 5426, Pte. Seymour Hicks  
no change since last report.

W.F. Rendell, Lieut. Col;  
Chief Staff Officer.

C.R. 5426  
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Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address Dept of Militia.

Line Number _____	Rcd. _____	By _____	Sent _____ by _____	Check _____
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*Dated* June 19th, 1918  
*To* Methodist Minister or School Teacher Merritts Hr. Twillingate

Regret to inform you No. 5426, Private Philip Hicks died at Military Hospital St. John's night of 18th from pneumonia after measles. Please inform next of kin.

W.F. Rendell, Lieut. Col.  
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Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address Dent of Militia.

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated June 19th, 1918

To William Hicks, Messrs H. Twillingate.

Very much regret to inform you that No. 5426, Private Philip Hicks died at Military Hospital St. John's from pneumonia after measles on night of 18th June. Please advise wishes as to disposal of body embalmed and coffined.

W.F. Rendell Lieut Col.,  
Chief Staff Officer.



C.R. 5426

Extract from Daily Orders part 11, from Unit The Royal Wfl.  
Regt. St. John's, dated May 27, 1918.

#5426 Pte. P. Hicks.

Attested for General Service with the Royal Wfl. Regt.  
from 24.5.18

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Signature of Sender \_\_\_\_\_ Address Do t of Hill in.

Line Number	Recd	By	Sent	by	Check

Dated June 13th, 1918

To William Hicks, Merritts Br. , Swillingate

Regret to inform you No. 5426, Private Philip Hicks is seriously ill with measles at Military Hospital, St. John's

W.F. Rendall, Lieut. Col.

Chief Staff Officer

C O P Y

Seymour 54v6

June 22, 1918.

Herringneck.

W.F.Rendell,  
Lieut. Col. C.S.O.

PLEASE EXPRESS MY SON'S BODY PRIVATE SEYMOUR HICKS  
BODY TO CONNECT WITH CLYDE LEAVING LEWISPORTE MONDAY  
REPLY ANY EXPENSES SEND ME BILL.

WM. HICKS.



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Line No. 8 Sent by V Rec'd by \_\_\_\_\_ Check 16/ No. \_\_\_\_\_

Place from Herring Gack

To Lieut Col Kendal

Chief Staff



Send body 3-426 the  
Phillip Hicks to Herring Gack  
first opportunity advise  
me how and when  
sent.

Wm Hicks



Hicks, P.

5426

Gay Sept.

Copy of Letter No.1468

ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT  
Headquarters

St. John's, Nfld.  
June 20th, 1918.

From Officer Commanding,  
Depot,

To Paymaster and Officer i/c Records,  
Dept. of Militia.

Strength Decreases by Deaths

Undernoted you will find list of men on Regimental strength who have died within the past few days. Under separate cover I am sending complete documents on file at Depot in connection with them and have noted herewith Credit Balances due on their respective Company Pay Accounts to dates of their being struck off Regimental strength, which we now transfer to your Department for transmission to their next of kin. Kindly sign receipts attached to documents and return to this office.

<u>No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Date of death</u>	<u>Cr. Bal.</u>	<u>Allotment</u>
5426	Pte. Hicks, Philip	18-6-18	19.80	None.

Sgd) C. C. DULEY, Lt.,  
Asst. Adjutant,  
Depot the Royal Newfoundland  
Regt.,  
St. John's, Nfld.

To be used only for Special Reserve Recruits, and for Special Reservists enlisting into the Regular Army.

# MEDICAL HISTORY

Surname Hicks OF Christian Name Philip

Table I.—GENERAL TABLE.

Birthplace:—Parish Merritt's Harbor County Nfld.

		SPECIAL RESERVE		REGULAR ARMY	
Examined	on <u>24<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>May</u> 191 <u>8</u>	at <u>Seymour</u>	on	day of	191
Declared Age	<u>18</u> years	days	years	days	
Trade or Occupation	<u>fisherman</u>				
Height	<u>5'</u> feet <u>7</u> inches		feet	inches	
Weight	<u>145</u> lbs.		lbs.	lbs.	
Chest Measurement	Girth when fully expanded	<u>36</u> inches		inches	
	Range of Expansion	<u>4</u> inches		inches	
Physical Development					
Vaccination Marks	Right	<u>/</u>	Left	<u>/</u>	
	Number				
When Vaccinated					
Vision	R.E.—V= <u>6/12</u> L.E.—V= <u>6/12</u>		R.E.—V= <u></u> L.E.—V= <u></u>		
(a) Marks indicating congenital peculiarities or previous disease	(a)		(a)		
(b) Slight defects but not sufficient to cause rejection	(b)		(b)		
Approved by (Signature)	<u>Lammie Peterson</u>				
(Rank)	<u>Regt.</u>				Medical Officer.
Enlisted	at <u>Seymour</u>	at			
	on <u>24<sup>th</sup></u> day of <u>May</u> 191 <u>8</u>	on	day of	191	
	Corps.	Regtl. No.	Corps	Regtl. No.	
Joined on Enlistment	<u>Royal Nfld. Regiment</u>	<u>5426</u>			
Transferred to					
Became non-effective by	on	day of	191	on	day of
(Signature)					
(Rank)					

Table II.—Only for admission to hospital or to the sick list in case of Warrant Officers treated in quarters.

Name of Hospital	Admitted to Hospital			Discharged from Hospital			Disease	Number Days in Hospital	Remarks bearing on the cause, nature or treatment of the case likely to be of interest or of future use. In case of syphilis, admissions and re-admissions to hospitals will be shown. The subsequent progress, including particulars of treatment out of hospital, transfers, etc., will be given in the special syphilis case sheet.	Signature of Medical Officer
	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year				
W. S. D. Hospital.	10	6	18	19	6	18	measles and pneumonia	9	Died 19-6-18	W. S. D.





## ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT.

Medical Examination Held at

Stadgartes May 24/18

1. Name Philip S. Micks Age (a) Declared 18  
(b) Apparent

2. Do you know of anything wrong with you? no

What severe illnesses have you had? none

5426

3. Height 5'7" Weight 145  
4. Eyesight (a) Left 6/12 (b) Right 6/12  
5. Physical Defects (Examine after strenuous exercise) n

6. Examination of Lungs n

Measurement

(a) Expiration

32

(b) Inspiration

36

7. Examination of Heart n

8. Examination of Urine

9. Examination of Mouth—(Defective Speech)

Teeth

Throat

Nose

Ears—(Otorrhea)

(Deafness)

10. Have you been successfully vaccinated, and when? no

11. Name and address of next of kin Father William Merritt Sts

REMARKS--

Dwillingtons Dist

St. John's

Arthur H. Carnell

Medical Examiners.

A 11

ON HIS MAJESTY'S SERVICE

To the Officer in Charge of Records,

*The Royal Nfld. Regt.*

*Dept. of Militia,*

*ST. JOHN'S. Nfld.*

NO STAMP REQUIRED

Dept. of Militia.

St. John's.

.....1921

I beg to acknowledge receipt of  
Memorial Plaque issued in respect of services of

the late No. *50112* Rank *Plt*

Name *Philip Hicks*

Royal Newfoundland Regt. *1st Bn*

*Philip Hicks* (Sgd.)

*Father* Relationship.

Address *Harry Wick*

5426 Pls Philip Stiers

Merritt St. Trojati.



Died at Military Hospital  
night of 15-6-18. Pneumonia  
following measles. Body  
coffined and embalmed by  
OKe.

Funeral to Railway Station

Sunday 23-6-18. Body sent to  
his home.

# Squadron, Troop, Battery and Company Conduct Sheet.

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Regiment of

Royal New Zealand

Number of Sheets one  
Signature of O. C. Company [Signature]

Regimental Number and Name		Enlistment		Trade	Good Conduct Badges, Service pay or proficiency pay	
No.	<u>5426</u>	Age on	<u>18</u> years	<u>Siskerman</u>		
	<u>Hicks Philip</u>		months	Religion		
Joined	Date	Place and Date of Enlistment		<u>Method</u>		
Joined	Date	Period of )	with Colours <u>26</u> years.	Place of Birth		
Joined	Date		with Reserve <u>36.5</u> years.	<u>Meremba Haula</u>		

Place	Date of Offence	Rank	Cases of Drunkenness	OFFENCE	Name of Witnesses	Punishment awarded	Date of award or of order dispensing with trial	By whom awarded	REMARKS
				Died Pneumonia Military Hosp.	S. J. [Signature]	18 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>78</sub>			

To be carried over.

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June 20th, 1918

From Officer Commanding,  
Depot

To Paymaster and Officer i/c Records,  
Dept. of Militia

Strength Decreases by Deaths.

Undernoted you will find list of men on Regimental strength who have died within the past few days. Under separate cover I am sending complete documents on file at Depot in connection with them and have noted herewith Credit Balances due on their respective Company Pay Accounts to dates of their being struck off Regimental strength, which we now transfer to your department for transmission to their next of kin. Kindly sign receipts attached to documents and return to this office.

<u>No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Date of death</u>	<u>Cr Bal.</u>	<u>Allotment</u>
4494	Pto. McGrath, Wm.	11-6-18	\$25.20	None
5201	" Nelph, Cecil	10-6-18	24.20	None
5680	" Simms, Ernest	14-6-18	15.40	None
5140	" Avery, Hezekiah	15-6-18	31.90	None
5373	" Secyious, Martin	15-6-18	17.60	None
5502	" Wicks, Fredk.	18-6-18	19.80	None
5426	" Hicks, Philip	18-6-18	19.80	None
5609	" Hamlin, Stewart	19-6-18	15.40	None

June 19th., 1918.

From Officer Commanding,  
Depot.

To District Officer Commanding,  
Newfoundland.

Sir,

5426 Pte. Philip Hicks.

I am advised by Dr. Burden that above noted man died at the Military Hospital on night of the 18th., inst. of pneumonia following measles.

Pending instructions regarding disposal of body, Mr. J. C. Oke, Undertaker, has been asked to take charge of same and have it coffined and embalmed.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,



Reg. No. 5426 Rank Pte. Name Philip Hicks  
Attested 24-5-18 Address Herbert St. Millington Dist.  
Allotment..... Allottee.....  
Date of Allotment..... Returned from Overseas.....  
Embarked for Overseas..... Cause.....

Vacc. 25-5-18

10/18 Ad. M. I. D. Hosp. Measles

12/18 Reported Ser. Ill. By Dr Burden

18/18 Placed by Dr Burden passed away measles & pneumonia

18/18 Died at Military Hos. Struck by Shrapnel. Bo's 108